(requesting \$74,781.23) **Personal Financial Disclosure**

Benefits:

- 1. Improve reporting capabilities of those required by statute to file personal financial disclosure statements.
- 2. Reduce the number of paper filers.
- 3. Provide greater access for Iowa citizens.

Current system process:

Approximately 500 filings are made each year; all are via paper. Prior to each filing, staff contacts each entity to determine who is required to file. This information is handentered into the database each year.

Reports are scanned and made available for public viewing. There are no search capabilities for the public.

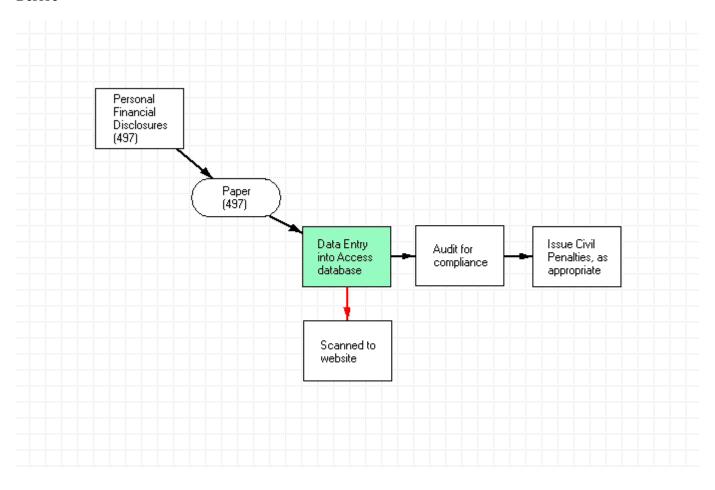
New system process:

It is anticipated that when an online filing system becomes available, an increasing number of reports will be completed online, lowering the time-intensive data entry of paper reports into the database.

This is an easy-to-use interface for filers that includes checks for compliance and staff auditing functions such as assessment of civil penalties for late-filed reports.

Information will be available more quickly and there will be public search capabilities that have been previously unavailable.

Before



After

